

LATE STORM REPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER 1946—Continued

Place	Date	Time	Width of path, yards	Loss of life	Value of property destroyed	Character of storm	Remarks
San Antonio, Tex.	September 15					Rain and flood	4.85 inches of rain, the heaviest precipitation for a 24-hour period since the Sept. 10, 1921, flood was recorded. Streets in San Antonio inundated. Creeks in the west and northwest sections of the city sent Woodlawn Lake waters over embankments, stalled traffic in some areas. Fire, police, and sheriff's departments swamped with emergency calls.
Mableton, Ga., 1 mile south.	22	3 p. m., E. S. T.	75	0	10,000	Tornado	This tornado dipped to earth, causing damage within a small area, then lifted. It remained on the ground over an area of about 500 yards in a sparsely settled section; most of the damage occurred locally soon after the strike between Mableton and Austell. A home completely demolished; several small buildings badly damaged. Number of trees blown down or uprooted, causing damage to telephone and power lines.
Independence, Vinton, Keystone, and Belle Plaine, Iowa.	22					Rain and flood	Rain exceeding 4 inches flooded streets and basements and caused small creeks to overflow. Damage to highways, fences, crops, etc. Damage estimated in many thousands of dollars, with similar losses in all areas.
Danville Municipal Airport and Ringgold, Va.	24	9:15-10:00 p. m.	1		15,000	Wind and hail	Small house demolished; 6 or more roofs torn from houses; north side of cinder-block hangar destroyed; considerable loss in orchards. No hail damage reported.
Wakeeney, Kans., and vicinity.	28	5:30-6 a. m.	1		10,000	Heavy hail	Loss mostly in crops; path 20 miles long.
Ontario, Pomona, Claremont, San Dimas, Cucamonga, and Chino, Calif., and vicinities.	29	1:50-3:05 p. m., P. S. T.	1		32,000	Thunderstorm and heavy rain.	Electric and telephone service interrupted for several hours. 3.25 inches of rain fell in 1 hour and 20 minutes near Alta Loma. Vineyards heavily covered with silt; much erosion; roads washed out, and traffic disrupted. 1 person killed when a car skidded.
Wayne County, N. Y.	29	2-2:30 p. m.	1 1/4-2		100,000	Hail	Storm struck two separate areas, one southeast of Marion with a path about 3 miles long, the other in North Rose with a path 4 miles long. Cabbage badly shredded, and loss in beans and apple crops.
Rockport, W. Va., vicinity of.	29	3-12 p. m., E. S. T.				Heavy rain and local flash flood.	Corn flattened.

¹ Miles instead of yards.